College of the Holy Cross
Archives and Special Collections
Collection Inventory

Accession Number: **SC2000-13**

Collection Name (Title): **Fallon Family Papers**

Dates of Material: **1903-1946**

Size of Collection: **1 Box; 2 Oversize Boxes**

Arrangement:

Restrictions:

Related Material: see the two photo albums of Holy Cross images in the College Archives

Preferred Citation:

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**Biography/History:**

Michael J. Fallon, MD was born in 1863 to Irish immigrant parents, James Fallon and Mary Dwyer Fallon. He grew up in Worcester, MA, and received his bachelor degree from the College of the Holy Cross in 1884. He then attended Harvard Medical School, and received his MD in 1887. Fallon married Ella Ford, and was the father of Holy Cross graduate, John M. Fallon, MD. Dr. Fallon was the chief surgeon at St. Vincent Hospital from 1908-1933. He died at the age of 75 in 1938.

John Fallon, MD (1901-1951) was born in Worcester, MA on September 17, 1901. He was the son of distinguished surgeon Dr. Michael Fallon and Ella Ford. He received an A.B. degree from Holy Cross College, in 1921 and MD from Harvard Medical School in 1923. He was the director and a surgeon at the Fallon Clinic in Worcester MA, which was founded by his father. He was a well established medical and non-medical writer. He was married twice, and had total of seven children. He died of an heart attack on June 21, 1951 at the age of 49.
Scope and Content Note:

This collection is one box and one oversize box containing the papers of Dr. Michael J. Fallon, MD and his son Dr. John Fallon, MD.

Box and Folder List:

Box 1:
Folder 1: Michael J. Fallon, MD, Speeches and Non-medical essays, 1917, 1920’s
Folder 2: Michael J. Fallon, MD, Scientific and Medical Publications, 1903-1933
Folder 3: Michael J. Fallon, MD, Correspondence, 1918-1934
Folder 4: Michael J. Fallon, MD, Miscellaneous items, 1910-1918
Folder 5: Michael J. Fallon, MD, Miscellaneous items, 1918-1935
Folder 6: John M. Fallon, MD, Speeches, Essays, Poems, etc. 1920-1946
Folder 7: John Fallon, MD, Correspondence, 1918-1945
Folder 8: Unidentified writings by either Michael or John Fallon, undated

Oversize Box 1:
Michael J. Fallon, MD Scrapbook, 1910-1911 Holy Cross Alumni Clippings

Oversize Box 2:
John M. Fallon, MD, Student Scrapbook, 1916